

request. Any individual who requires special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should contact Ann Borlo at (301) 986-4870 no later than November 1, 1997.

Dated: August 19, 1997.

Daniel C. Montoya,

Executive Director, Presidential Advisory Council on HIV and AIDS, Office of National AIDS Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration on Aging

Agency Recordkeeping/Reporting Requirements Under Emergency Review by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB)

The Department of Health and Human Services has submitted the following (see below) emergency processing public information clearance request

(ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (P.L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Title: State Annual Long-Term Care Ombudsman Report.

OMB Number: 0985-0005.

| Instrument | Number of respondents | Number of responses per year | Average burden hours per respondent | Total burden hours |
|---|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| State Annual Long-Term Care Ombudsman Report. | 52 State Agencies on Aging | Once per respondent per year | 173 | 9,000 |

Description: To revise an existing information collection for States to use in reporting on activities of their Long-Term Care Ombudsman Programs as required under Section 712(b) and (h) of the Older Americans Act, as amended; the revisions:

(1) Modify the wording of some of the complaint categories to assist respondents in categorizing some complaints which were being placed under "other;" and

(2) Stipulate that several narrative responses which have not changed since the previous report do not need to be repeated.

The reporting system is for fiscal year 1997-99.

Additional Information: The AoA is requesting that OMB grant a 180-day approval for this information collection under procedures for emergency processing by August 29, 1997. A copy of this individual ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by calling the Administration on Aging, Reports Clearance Officer, Sharon Matthews at (202) 205-2814.

Comments and questions about the ICR should be directed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: Allison Herron Eydt, OMB Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10325, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: August 14, 1997.

Alicia Valadez Ors,

Director, Office of Governmental Affairs and Elder Rights, Administration on Aging.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 91F-0032]

Th. Goldschmidt A.G.; Withdrawal of Food Additive Petition

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing the withdrawal, without prejudice to a future filing, of a food additive petition (FAP 1B4244) proposing that the food additive regulations be amended to provide for the safe use of silicone acrylate resins in coatings for metal substrates, polyolefin films, and paper and paperboard intended for use in contact with food.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Julius Smith, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (HFS-215), Food and Drug Administration, 200 C St. SW., Washington, DC 20204, 202-418-3091.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In a notice published in the **Federal Register** of March 4, 1991 (56 FR 9012), FDA announced that a food additive petition (FAP 1B4244) had been filed by Th. Goldschmidt A.G. (currently c/o Keller and Heckman, 1001 G St. NW., suite 500 West, Washington, DC 20001). The petition proposed to amend the food additive regulations to provide for the safe use of silicone acrylate resins for use in coatings for metal substrates, polyolefin films, and paper and paperboard intended for use in contact with food. Th. Goldschmidt A.G. has now withdrawn the petition without

prejudice to a future filing (21 CFR 171.7).

Dated: August 7, 1997.

Alan M. Rulis,

Director, Office of Premarket Approval, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 97D-0331]

Guidance for Industry on Dissolution Testing of Immediate Release Solid Oral Dosage Forms; Availability

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing the availability of a guidance for industry entitled "Dissolution Testing of Immediate Release Solid Oral Dosage Forms." The purpose of this guidance document is to provide general recommendations for dissolution testing, approaches for setting dissolution specifications related to biopharmaceutical characteristics of the drug substance, statistical methods for comparing dissolution profiles, and a process to help determine when dissolution testing is sufficient to grant a waiver for an in vivo bioequivalence study. This guidance document also provides recommendations for dissolution tests to help ensure continuous drug product quality and performance after certain postapproval manufacturing changes.